

Figure 1 Natural gas storage conditions (adapted from Khokhar et al., 1998).

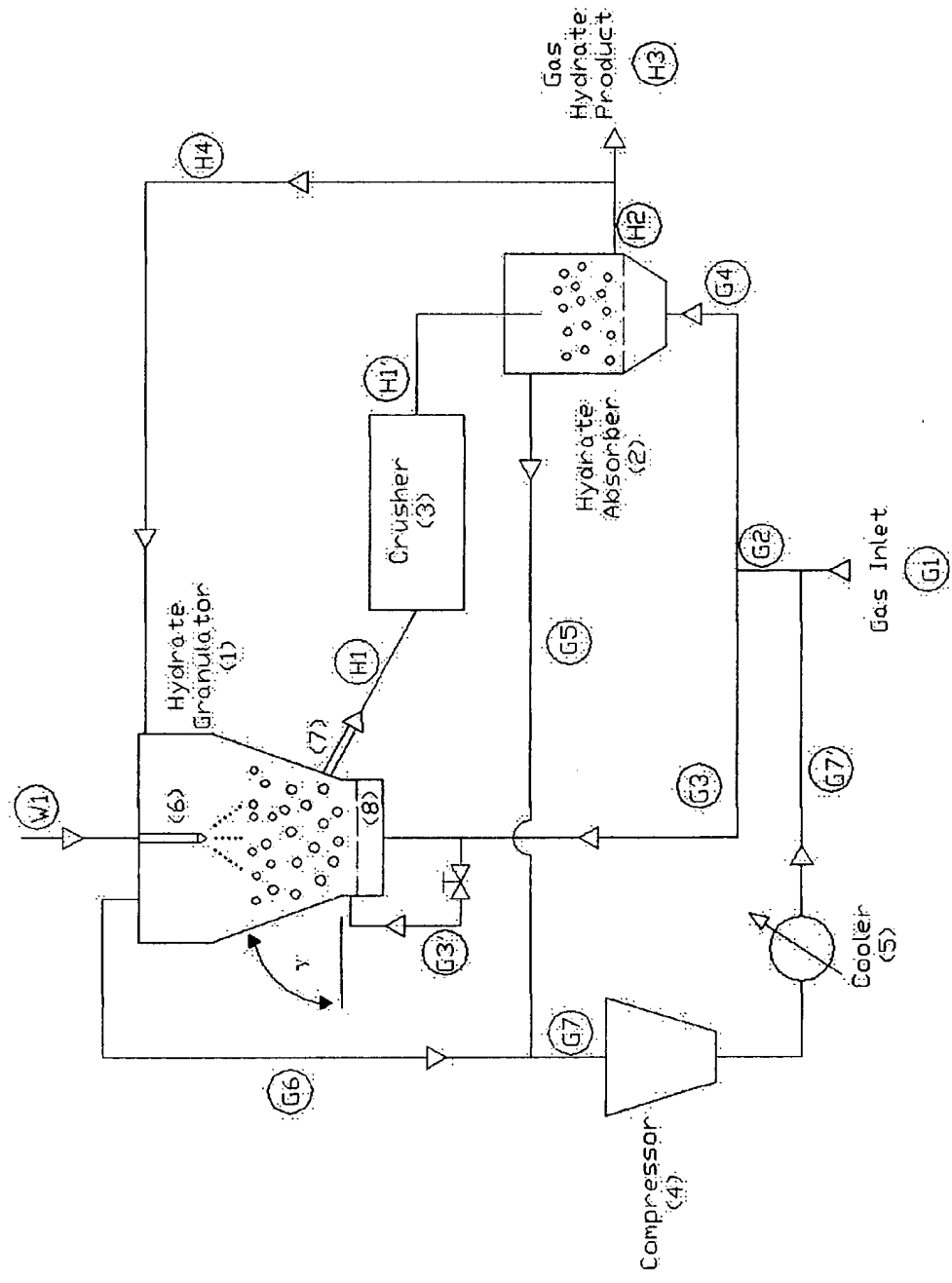


Figure 2 A schematic of the main components of the hydrate fluidized bed granulation process.

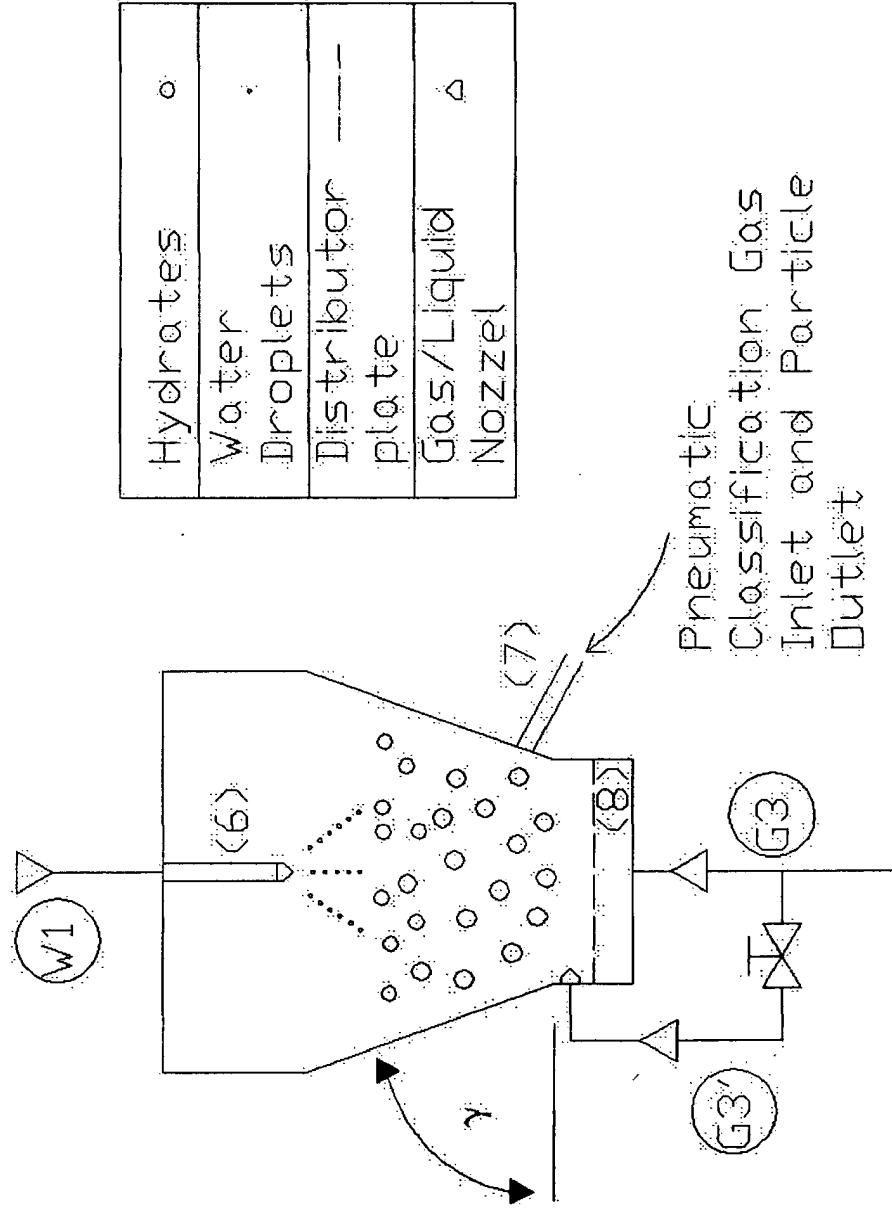


Figure 3 Schematic of the lower section of the hydrate fluidized bed granulation chamber